

CLAIMS:

1. A method of receiving teletext pages each having a page number, comprising the steps of:

- determining the page numbers of said transmitted teletext pages;
- 5 – storing indications indicating the presence of the teletext pages in the transmission, characterized in that said memory includes two memory sections, the step of storing said indications comprising alternately storing said indications in one of said memory sections during a predetermined period of time, and removing said indications in the respective memory section prior to said storing of the indications.

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2. A method as claimed in claim 1, wherein each memory section comprises a table having, for each possible page number, a location for storing the indication of presence of the respective page as a first value and the indication of absence of said page as a second value.

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3. A method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising the step of counting the number of times a teletext page is received for which the indication of presence has already been stored, said predetermined period of time having lapsed when said number of times exceeds a given number.

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4. A receiver for receiving teletext pages each having a page number, comprising:

- a control circuit for determining the page numbers of said transmitted teletext pages;
- a memory for storing indications indicating the presence of the teletext pages in the transmission,

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characterized in that said memory includes two memory sections, the control circuit being arranged to alternately store said indications in one of said memory sections during a predetermined period of time, and to remove said indications in the respective memory section prior to said storing of the indications.

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5. A receiver as claimed in claim 4, wherein each memory section comprises a table having, for each possible page number, a location for storing the indication of presence of the respective page as a first value and the indication of absence of said page as a second value.

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6. A receiver as claimed in claim 4, further comprising a counter for counting the number of times a teletext page is received for which the indication of presence has already been stored, the control circuit being arranged to terminate said predetermined period of time when said counter exceeds a given count.

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